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BENTON CITY.

Miss Jessie Douglass came up from St. Louis Sunday to spend two weeks with relatives here.

Misses Clara and Anna Johnson visited friends in Montgomery City Sunday.

Book Powell and mother of New Florence attended the funeral of Mrs. F. R. Pierce, Jr., here Sunday.

Mrs. Loney Owens is on the sick list.

Miss Alma Lemon and brother of Wellsville were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gilmore here Sunday.

Miss Mary Sanford of Fulton, was the guest of her cousin here, Miss Ruby Harlow, several days last week.

Mrs. Paul Leierheimer and sister returned Monday from Marshall where they visited relatives.

Mrs. Frank Pierce, Jr., nee Susie Northcutt, who had been ill of lung trouble for some time, died at her home, two miles west of this place, July 17, 1909. She was born September 5, 1882, being 27 years and 10 months of age. She was left an orphan at the age of seven years and was raised by her grandmother Powell at Martinsburg, Mo. Was married to F. R. Pierce, Jr., March 6, 1901, who with one son, six years old, survives her. She was a woman of noble Christian character, highly esteemed by all who knew her. Through the long period of her illness, though her suffering was intense, she manifested the greatest patience and ever trusted in her Saviour for strength. Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Presbyterian church, conducted by Rev. A. A. Wallace of Mexico, assisted by Rev. Duff of Montgomery City, after which the remains were laid to rest in the cemetery here. The community extends sympathy to the bereaved ones.

Strayed.

From premises of the undersigned July 3rd, one Poland China gilt pig, weight about 40 pounds. Reward for return.

J. R. BELL,

Ortiz Fruit Farm.

CHAMP.

Mid-summer harvest is a hard. Threshing and hay making the order of the day.

Wm. Blair has a \$2,300 threshing machine. It can certainly separate the golden grain from the straw in a perfect manner. The dedication of this new machine was made in Mr. Feas' wheat field.

Mrs. Sparr and sister, Mrs. Lin Jenmeyer, are entertaining three cousins from Illinois.

Those on the sick list are Mrs. Fred Roberts and Mrs. Pollock. Both are convalescent, we are glad to state.

John Blair was called to Nebraska this week to the bedside of his father who is dangerously ill.

Wm. Settle and family of Centralia visited his father, W. F. Settle, and family Sunday.

Mr. Henry McNeely and bride of Vinita, Okla., have returned home after a visit with his uncles, the Dean Bros.

We are sorry to learn that Marlow Shook has been quite sick.

Misses Sallie Robinson and Edith Milligan of Mexico are visiting friends and relatives here.

C. H. Culbertson threshed 18 acres of wheat this week and it averaged 26 bushels to the acre. His field of oats averaged 44 bushels to the acre.

GANT.

Mr. Hays has his threshing machine in running order again and is threshing for Mr. Wolf on the place better known as the Joe Hitt farm.

Miss Mary Barnes gave a birthday party July 14 and invited in several of her friends and treated them to a fine dish of ice cream and cake.

Mr. and Mrs. Eads and little daughter of Mexico, sister of Mrs. Haul Jones, are spending a few days with her this week.

Some of our young folks attended the basket dinner at Liberty Sunday and were caught out in the rain.

Mrs. Jenkins is visiting her son, Leonard, of near Sedalia.

Egbert Sims shipped out his hogs Monday.

Mr. Samuel Jerman and wife and niece, Miss Alta McNear, of Ardmore, Mo., are the guests of T. J. Jerman and relatives. Sunday was Mr. Sam Jerman's birthday, he being 72 years old. He was given a birthday dinner, the children all taking dinner and spreading at the home of R. L. Stowers and family. He is in very poor health and when dinner was ready was not hardly able to eat. He had a paralytic stroke about two years ago. Those present were T. J. Jerman and wife, W. M. Stowers and family, Grandma Roberts of Hallsville, Mrs. Carl Blume, Mrs. Pete Denham and daughter, Arthur Jerman of Amarillo, Texas.

WEST CONCORD.

Henderson Johnson and wife spent Sunday with his brother here, T. B. Johnson.

Jessie Holloway let his team run away Monday. No serious damage.

Mr. Richie of Sturgeon is visiting his sister here, Mrs. Holloway. T. B. Johnson and wife gave a social the other day. Everybody reported an enjoyable time.

J. W. Gardner and wife spent Sunday with J. B. Johnson and wife.

T. B. Henderson made a business trip to Mexico Monday. Zeek Conner shipped one earload of hogs this week.

Jef Woods bought 100 head of hogs of Harry Henderson and J. W. Bailey at \$7.50.

Mrs. Fry, Mrs. T. B. Henderson's step-mother, is spending the week with Mrs. Henderson.

To Waterproof Leather.

Leather may be waterproof by painting it with a combination of two ounces each of burgundy pitch, soft wax and turpentine and one ounce of raw linseed oil, applied warm.

BEAN CREEK.

Some of the farmers are having their grain threshed. Charlie Dickey is doing the work.

Hay harvest is the order of the day.

John Hebel, while cutting oats last week, got his arm caught in the binder and broke it just above the wrist.

Bro. J. J. Griffin has been called again to preach at Gilead the coming year, preaching on the third Sunday.

C. H. Martien and wife of near Tulip, were the guests of his mother, Mrs. Annie Martien, Saturday and Sunday.

Clarence Harvey and family were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Klotz last Sunday.

Miss Hulda Klotz, who has been employed in the Shoe Factory for some time, is spending a few days in this vicinity.

J. E. Green and daughter, Miss Emma, of south of Mexico, were the guests of R. T. Byars and family last Sunday.

Luther Sims and wife of Rush Hill visited Mrs. Alice Willingham and family Saturday and Sunday.

Robert Geddy sold to Earl Carter a cow for \$45.

Mrs. Robert Geddie is on the sick list.

Bill Sims and wife of near Rush Hill were the guests of Alice Willingham and family Sunday.

FROM MINNESOTA.

Interesting Letter by Mrs. Mathews, Formerly Mrs. Fletcher.

Dorset, Minn., July 19, 1909

Dear Editor:

Thinking my friends and readers of the Message would like to hear from me, and not having the time, and it being too laborious a task to write to each, I take this plan of sending my many Andrain county friends a few lines.

Leaving Mexico on the 31st of May, I arrived at my destination the next evening, June 1st. We were met at the station, and went right to our own place. My husband, Mr. M., had hurriedly piled things in the house before leaving. He had not yet finished the house, and had so much to do that it has almost been like camping; the difference we have a good roof over us.

We have a good place, situated on the bank of Elbow lake, one of the most beautiful lakes in central Minn. In fact, from what I can learn from the statements made from those who have visited different resorts, the scenes along the shore, the lake having no visible outlet, are wonders that are not met with in others of the Central States.

Our house stands on the bank of the lake, where we can have a fine view of the lake.

It has been very dry here this summer, and as our ground is new and dry, our garden has not done much. We have had fine summer weather, otherwise. We have had but few warm days and nights. It is pleasant to sleep, when the mosquitoes do not bother too much. The mosquitoes have not been as bad as they are sometimes in the lake regions.

It has been too dry for the wild fruit. Strawberries would have been a good crop had it not been so dry. The blueberries have also been cut short from the same cause: Mr. M. has cleared near four acres; he has blocked off about seven acres which he will get cleared this season.

Fishing has been good in the lake. Morris has kept us supplied the greater part of the time. The fish here are rock-bass, perch, sunfish, black-bass, pickrel, black-sucker and muskellunge.

We do our trading at Nevis, a small town about six miles distant, on the east end of the lake. Mr. M. makes the trip with boat. Last Saturday while making the trip in company with a neighbor, caught three nice muskellongs and succeeded in landing two which they brought home. The muskie is a game fish. One that is not always easy to land when he is caught on the hook.

We all have splendid appetites and can eat anything. Food that we did not relish in Missouri we relish with pleasure.

Fever and ague are unknown here, and but few or seldom any cases of pneumonia. Pulmonary troubles have been permanently relieved in this climate.

My letter is long enough for this time so will close.

Mrs. G. B. Matthews, formerly Mrs. Bertha Fletcher.

Mrs. George V. Hickman, at Nevada, Mo., is a new Message subscriber.

Mrs. James Marshall and children are home from an extended visit in Colorado.

The Fulton Sun says that 723 railroad tickets were sold at this place for the big circus in Mexico last Friday.

J. T. Woolery, southwest of Mexico, sold 17 hogs to Joe Collinside at Thompson at \$7.60. They averaged 295 pounds each.

X. P. Ball is home from Quincy, Ill., where his daughter, Miss Luna, is taking treatment for her eyes in a hospital. Miss Luna's eyesight is much improved and it is sincerely hoped she may fully recover her seeing.

LADDONIA.

John Hobson shipped five earloads of cattle to St. Louis Sunday night. He and his son, Clifford, also Bee Lewellyn, went down with them.

Miss Della Quisenberry from Kentucky came home to visit a week or two. Her cousin, Mrs. Doyle, accompanied her.

Ollie Slavens of Mexico spent Sunday with home folks here.

Homer Adams, wife and baby, of Hannibal are visiting his mother at this place.

Mrs. W. S. McCoy and Miss Birdie are visiting in Lincoln county this week.

Misses Bertha and Flora Slavens returned home Sunday, after visiting relatives a few days at Mexico.

Mrs. Reece and daughter, Miss Lizzie of Vandalia, came up Sunday to visit Jacob Williams and family.

Miss Vera Friedman of Martinsburg is visiting Miss Marie Torreyson.

A great deal of wheat coming to town. Price paid Monday was \$1.01.

Misses Eugene Stotler, Mary Faires, Bernice Bruton and Margaret Williams and Messrs. John Stotler, Dr. Norris, Theron Leet and Frank Grainge took their supper out on Cuiver Sunday eve.

Miss Della Quisenberry and Mrs. E. H. Doyle of Lexington, Ky., are visiting the family of J. T. Ricketts at Mexico a few days.

Mrs. J. R. Braden is visiting in Rush Hill.

Miss Ethel Faddis returned to her home in Centralia Sunday. Her little niece, Irene, accompanied her.

Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Quisenberry entertained Mrs. E. H. Doyle, Misses Della and Grace Quisenberry at the Laddonia Hotel Sunday at dinner.

HUMES-BUTLER.

Thursday evening, July 15, Mr. John P. Humes and Miss Sarah E. Butler, were united in marriage at the residence of the officiating clergyman, Rev. H. I. Cobb. Mr. Humes is a popular salesman in Phillips Bros' clothing store, and Miss Flossie was the efficient book-keeper in the same establishment. They went immediately to the home of the bridegroom, on North Jefferson Str., where they will be at home to their many friends. The Message extends congratulations to this most worthy couple, hoping that their pleasures may be as numberless as the waves of the sea and their troubles as light as the foam thereof.

Miss Ida Randle returned recently from a visit to friends in St. Joseph.

George Fennewald near Martinsburg, sold 17 fat steers on the St. Louis market this week, getting \$6.55.

The break in the road bed of the C. & A. at Glasgow has been repaired and trains are running regularly again.

P. T. Bruce of Skinner neighborhood, is at Nevada, Mo., visiting friends and recuperating his health.

For bargains in new and second-hand furniture, Stoves, Carpets, etc., call on Fegan & Randle, first door west of McLoney's. tf.

Guy Lavender's many friends will be pleased to learn he has returned from California after an eight months stay. He is convalescent after a spell of typhoid fever that kept him down 42 days.

Act for Oneself.

Well it is for us to do our own thinking, listening quietly to the opinions of others, but to be sufficiently men and women to act always upon our own convictions.—Ralph Waldo Trine.

Little Minnie Belle Leniton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Leniton, has been very ill for a couple of weeks, not expected to live at times. But she is thought to be on the way to recovery now.

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50-ft. Galvanized Clothes Line for.....10c
2 sizes Ice cream Dippers, your choice.....10c
Taffeta Ribbon, all colors, No. 40 yd.....10c
17-inch corset cover emb'y, per yd.....10c
Fancy 4 1-2 inch barrette, special value.....10c
Men's fancy socks, all colors, per pair.....10c
Ladies' cross-barred and linen handkerchiefs.....10c
Post card Albums, capacity 100 cards each.....10c
Men's Panama Hats, to close out.....10c
3 cakes Buttermilk Soap, in box.....10c
2 lbs. Axle Grease, per can.....10c
White handle Knife and Fork, the two.....10c
Extra large towel, 23 by 58 in.....10c
Tray and Brush, the two for.....10c
Ladies' Vests, superior quality, all sizes.....10c
6 double Sheets Stickite Fly Paper.....10c
Ladies' Gingham Aprons, each.....10c
Pillow Slips, 42 by 36, each.....10c
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CRUEL.



Landlady—Wasn't that a chicken, Mr. Jinks?
Jinks—it may have been a chicken morally speaking, but really it was a wreck.

The Earners.
"I never read of any millionaire who can afford to be reckless and foolishly extravagant," says Mr. Tattaway, "without thinking what a lot of people must work for him for less than they ought to get."—Kansas City Times.

WHY HE SMILED.



Young Lady (with music case)—Yes, I've just bought a few of the latest pieces. All novel and strong in composition. (And no wonder her friend smiled. She didn't know one end of her case was broken and that those "sausages" were peeping out.)

IN A HURRY.



Samuel (to sporting gent)—Well, guv'nor! D'yer want to buy a bull dog?

Order of Publication.

State of Missouri) County of Audrain)
Order of Publication. In the Circuit Court, To September term 1909.
Lola Yocum and Edward A. Yocum, her husband and Luther E. Jones, Plaintiffs

Thomas H. Jones, Joseph W. Jones and William Terrace, Defendants.
Now on this July 8th, 1909, come plaintiffs and leave of Court being first had, files Amended Petition herein, wherein Plaintiffs show to the Court that Defendant William Terrace is a non-resident of the State of Missouri, and that the ordinary process of law cannot be served upon him in this State.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made herein notifying the said non-resident defendant William Terrace, of the pendency of this suit; and now you said non-resident William Terrace, are hereby notified of the filing of this suit the object and general nature of which is to obtain a Decree of Partition and Order of Sale, of the following described real estate in Audrain County, Missouri, to-wit:—The Northeast quarter of Section Eighteen (18), Township Fifty-one (51), Range Eight (8) West containing one hundred and sixty acres more or less, said real estate descending to the parties herein as heirs of William B. Jones, deceased, and the interest to which each one is entitled is as follows: Lola Yocum is entitled to an undivided one-eighth interest; Luther E. Jones is entitled to an undivided one-eighth; Thomas H. Jones is entitled to an undivided one-fourth interest; Joseph W. Jones is entitled to an undivided one-fourth interest, and William Terrace is entitled to an undivided one-fourth interest; And now unless you said non-resident defendant William Terrace, be and appear in the Audrain County Circuit Court at the next regular term thereof, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Mexico, Missouri, on the Third Monday in September 1909, and on or before the first day of said term answer or otherwise plead to plaintiffs' petition, Judgment in partition and Order of Sale will be rendered as prayed in said Petition, and said real estate sold and the proceeds distributed according to the decree.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in the Mexico Missouri Message, a weekly newspaper published in Audrain County, Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next term of Court.

State of Missouri) ss
County of Audrain)

I, W. H. Morris, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Audrain County, Missouri, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full and true copy of the Order of Publication in the case of Lola Yocum, et al. vs. Thomas H. Jones, et al. as fully as the same appear of record in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal, at office in Mexico, Audrain County, Missouri, this July 16th, 1909.

W. H. MORRIS,
Clerk Audrain County Circuit Court.
J. W. Delventhal,
Rosenberger & Son, Attys. for Plaintiffs.

HOLLENSVILLE.

Mrs. Mary Bybee, of Santa Fe, visited her daughter, Mrs. O. T. Canthorn, several days last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Anderson, who have been in on a visit left this vicinity Friday, enroute for their home in Kansas City. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. McGee accompanied them as far as Centralia.

M. M. Dawson is quite complaining, though not confined to his bed.

Oats cutting was finished last week, most of it in time for the circus. Some was down too badly to be cut at all, while much had to be cut only one way of the field.

J. A. McGee sold to Milt Householder a cow and late calf for \$50.

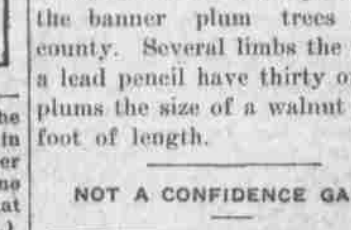
Arnett's threshers is expected in about Thursday.

H. H. Hollenshead and family, of Centralia, visited at John Neills and Cecil Mallorys during the forepart of last week.

James Yager, Sr., is very poorly. McGee Bros. delivered six hogs Monday to Powell and Mundy at \$7.50 per cwt. Average weight 215 pounds; sold 14 hogs for August at \$7.75.

We think J. L. Carpenter has the banner plum trees of the county. Several limbs the size of a lead pencil have thirty or more plums the size of a walnut to one foot of length.

NOT A CONFIDENCE GAME.



Foxy Rooster Corn, eh? Well, you'll have to offer it to me with both hands.

Order of Publication.

State of Missouri) County of Audrain)
Order of Publication. To September term, 1909, of the Audrain County Circuit Court.
T. B. Duncan and Ns Myers, doing business under the firm name of Duncan & Myers, Plaintiffs

vs.
W. G. Broyles, Defendant.
Now this July 8th, 1909, come Plaintiffs by Attorneys and show to the Court from the Petition and Affidavit, heretofore filed in this cause on February 1st, 1909, that the defendant W. G. Broyles, is a non-resident of the State of Missouri and cannot be served with the ordinary process of law in this State.

It is therefore ordered by the Court that publication be made herein notifying the said non-resident defendant W. G. Broyles of the pendency of this suit; And now you, said non-resident defendant, W. G. Broyles, are hereby notified of the pendency of this suit, the object and general nature of which is to obtain a judgment of the Audrain County Circuit Court for Commission for the sale of certain lands in Castro County, Texas, to one Clifton Jesse, in the sum of \$840.00, and you are further notified that a writ of Attachment has been issued in above cause, and that all the right title and interest of said W. G. Broyles, of, in and to the following real estate in Audrain County, Mo., the Northeast fourth (1-4) of the Northeast fourth (1-4) of Section Thirty (30) and the Northwest fourth (1-4) of Northwest fourth (1-4) Section Twenty-nine (29) and all that part of East half (1-2) of East half (1-2) of Section Nineteen (19) which lies South of Washburn Railroad and all that part of West half (1-2) of West half (1-2) of Section Twenty (20) which lies South of Washburn Railroad; All in Township Fifty-one (51) North of Range Nine (9) West, Containing in all Two Hundred and Fifty-two and one-half acres more or less, has been levied upon under said Attachment; And unless you, said W. G. Broyles, non-resident defendant, be and appear in the Audrain County Circuit Court at the next regular term thereof, to be begun and held at the Court House in the City of Mexico, Audrain County, Missouri, on the 3rd Monday in September, 1909, and on or before the first day of said term, answer or otherwise plead to Plaintiff's petition the same will be taken as confessed and judgment rendered against you as prayed in said petition, and your said lands sold to satisfy the same.

And it is further ordered that a copy hereof be published in the Mexico Missouri Message, a weekly newspaper published in Audrain County, Missouri, for four weeks successively, the last insertion to be at least fifteen days before the first day of said next term of this Court.

State of Missouri) ss
County of Audrain)

I, W. H. Morris, Clerk of the Circuit Court of Audrain County, Missouri, do hereby certify that the above and foregoing is a full and true copy of the Order of Publication in the case of Duncan & Myers, Plaintiff, vs. W. G. Broyles, Defendant, as fully as the same appears of record in my office.

Witness my hand and official seal, at office in Mexico, Audrain County, Missouri, this July 19th, 1909.

W. H. MORRIS,
Clerk Circuit Court Audrain County, Mo.
F. H. Cullen and F. R. Jesse, Attys. for Plaintiffs.

Perfect Through Suffering.

God never would send you the darkness if he felt you could hear the light. But you would not cling to his guiding hand.

If the way were always bright; And you would not care to walk by faith.

Could you always walk by sight. 'Tis true he has many an anguish For your sorrowful heart to bear, And many a cruel thorn-crown For your tired head to wear;

He knows how few would reach heaven at all.

If pain did not guide them there. So he sends you the blinding darkness, And the furnace of seven-fold heat 'Tis the only way, believe me,

To keep you close to his feet; For 'tis always so easy to wander When our lives are glad and sweet. Then nestle your hand in your father's And sing if you can as you go;

Your song may cheer some one behind you, Whose courage is sinking low, And, well, if your lips do quiver— God will love you better so.

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